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SUBJECT:US-USSR TRANSPORTATION AGREEMENT: CIVIL AVIATION:  
ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION SUBGROUP - SOVDEL 05.0404

REF: MOSCOW 10452

1. REQUEST SCIOFF PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING LETTER TO OSIPOV,  
MINCIVAIR, FROM F. TAYLOR, NTSB, COPY TO ISHCHENKO, SCST.

2. MAY 18, 1978 05.0404

I. M. OSIPOV  
USSR STATE COMMISSION ON FLIGHT SAFETY  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
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I AM PLEASED TO SEND YOU OUR PROPOSED PROGRAM AND  
ITINERARY FOR YOUR DELEGATION'S VISIT TO THE U.S. IN  
ORDER TO COMPLETE THE PROGRAM, WHICH HAS BEEN REVISED AT  
YOUR REQUEST FOR A 7-DAY PERIOD, YOUR DELEGATION SHOULD  
PLAN TO ARRIVE IN THE U.S. ON SUNDAY, JUNE 18. PLEASE  
ADVISE ME PROMPTLY THE NAMES OF THE DELEGATION AND FLIGHT

ARRIVAL PLANS IN WASHINGTON SO THAT DELEGATION CAN BE MET.  
FURTHER, AS NORTHWEST AIRLINES IS ON STRIKE AND UNITED  
AIRLINES BOOKINGS HAVE INCREASED, I HAVE MADE BLOCK

RESERVATIONS ON THE UNITED AIRLINES FLIGHTS TO AND FROM  
SEATTLE. AS AEROFLOT "SPACE AVAILABLE" FREE TICKETING  
IN MOSCOW WILL NOT REPEAT NOT ASSURE PASSAGE ON THESE  
NECESSARY FLIGHTS, WE WILL NEED TO CONFIRM THE  
RESERVATIONS WITH TRAVELERS' NAMES BY MAY 30, WHICH ARE  
TO BE PAID FOR BY PREPAID TICKETS.

SUNDAY, JUNE 18

-- ARRIVE NEW YORK/WASHINGTON

NOTE: ASSUMING DELEGATION WILL PLAN TO ARRIVE IN  
NEW YORK AT 1500 HOURS VIA SU 318, THEY COULD ARRIVE  
WASHINGTON EITHER ABOARD NATIONAL 445 WHICH LEAVES JFK  
NEW YORK AT 1720 (FOR WHICH RESERVATIONS SHOULD BE MADE  
IN ADVANCE) OR ABOARD 1700 OR 1800 EASTERN AIRLINES  
SHUTTLE FROM LAGUARDIA AIRPORT.

MONDAY, JUNE 19

-- LEAVE WASHINGTON (DULLES) 0900 VIA UAL 37

-- ARRIVE SEATTLE 1130

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-- VISIT AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER RADAR TRAINING  
-- FACILITY, NTSB FIELD OFFICE, AND BOEING COMPANY  
-- ON JUNE 19 - NOON JUNE 21

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

-- LEAVE SEATTLE 1240 HOURS UAL 36  
-- ARRIVE WASHINGTON (DULLES) 2030

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JUNE 22-23

-- DISCUSSIONS AT NTSB HEADQUARTERS ON AGREED TOPICS

SATURDAY OR SUNDAY, JUNE 24-25

-- DEPART WASHINGTON FOR MOSCOW

WE HOPE TO HEAR FROM YOU SOON AND ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO  
YOUR VISIT.

A. I. BRUNSTEIN, CHIEF  
INTERNATIONAL LIAISON BRANCH

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD VANCE

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